## VOL. LXXIX.

#### AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wise BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Circuit Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, rendered at the September term, 1877, In the suit of T. C. King against The Alexandria and Fredericksburg Railway Company and others, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will proceed on SATURDAY, the FIRST OF JUNE, 1878, at twelve o'clock m., to sell by public auction, in front of the Market Rulding, on Royal street in the said city of Building, on Royal street, in the said city of Alexandria, Va., THE WHOLE OF THE ALEXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG EXANDRIA AND FREDERICKSBURG RAILWAY, extending from the southern end of the 1 ong Bridge, in Alexandria county, Va., to Quantico, in Stafford county, in said State, together with all and singular its franchises, right; interests privileges, property and estate, real, personal and mixed, wheresoever situate and by whomsoever he'd. The rolling stock of anid reilway our sists of

said railway consists of Four (1) Locomotive Engines. Five (5) Passenger Cars.
Two (2) Combined Passenger and Baggage

Two (2) Baggage Cara.
Twenty-one (21) Gondola Cars [freight]
Terms of Sale: Ten per centum of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equal annual payments from the day of an three equal annual payments trost the day of sale; the descreed payments to be evidenced by the conds of the purcheser, bearing interest, with security satisfactors to said commissioners of sale; the title to said property to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid; the purchaser not to be let into possession until the sale shall have been confirmed by sail court

M. H. WELLS,
FRANCIS L. SMITH, Jr.

Comm'rs of Sale. mii 21-2 wis

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer, CABLE DWELLING HOUSE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA-By virtuo of a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandris. Va., rendered on the 11th day of February, 1878, in the suit of Mary P. Lloyd, in her own right, &z., vs John J. Lloyd et als., pending in sail court, the subscriber, as commissioner of sale under said decree, will expose missioner of sale under said decree, will expose for sale by public auction, on SATURUAY, the 6th day of April 1878, at 12 m, in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va. the THREE STORY BRICK DWKLLING and APPURTEN-ANCES, No 42, situated on the east side of Washington street, between Prices and Duke Washington street, between Prince and Duke, or with surety; the title to be retained until the bands are paid. Conveysneing at the cost Washington street 22 feet and extending east of the purchaser.

washington street 22 test and extending east wardly in depth 112 feet 5 inches to an alley.

Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and the retention of the title to the property uctil they are paid.

AT THE SAME TIME AND PLACE I of which I still adhere, and solicit the suffrages of the conservative voters of this city at the two of the conservative voters of this city at the property uctil they auction, the following pieces of property, viz:

1st. That certain lot of ground at the southable to elect me, I will devote my best energies to the discharge of the duties of the office.

Respectfully

VALUABLE AND IMPROVED PROP-ERTY, NEAR FALLS CHURCH, FOR SALE-By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, rendered at the November Term, 1877, in the suit of The Citizen's Nationl Bank of Alexandria vs. J. W. Sargent and others, the undersigned, Commissioners named in said decree, will sell to the highest hidder, before the courthouse door of said county, on MONDAY, the 18th of March next (court-day) at 12 o'clock m., THAT VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, lying about one mile east of Fall Church village, and immediately on the Middle Pike, adjoining the land of Gibson Terrett, H. W. Throckmorton and others. This farm contains 46 103-1,000 acres, and is known as "EVERGREEN", is improved by a commo-dious NEW FRAME DWELLING HOUSE and out buildings; a well of excellent water in the yard; also peach and apple orchards, pears, grapes and small fruit, rendering it valuable as a market farm, and being in the neighborhood where lands are regarded as profitable, it affords a rare opportunity for investment. Mr. Myers, on the farm, will show it to those desiring to

Terms of sale-One tenth of the purchase money in hand as a deposit, to be forfeited should the purchaser fail to complete his purchase; the residue in three equal payments, to bear interest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and retention of title to the property

until the last payment is made. H. O. CLAUGHTON. THOMAS MOORE, Comm'rs. of Sale. feb 15-wa The above sale is postponed until MON DAY, April 15, 1878, (Court day) when the same will be made at the same place and hour H. O. CLAUGHTON, THOS. MOORE, Comm'rs. of Salo. mh 22-wts

By Green & Wise, [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.] TRUSTEES' SALE OF THE ADAMAN.
TINE BRICK COMPANY'S WORKS
AND PROPERTY, ALEXANDRIA CO, VA Under the authority of a deed of trust, bearing date of December 2, 1876, made by the "The Adamantine Brick Company, an incorporated company, duly charter by an ordered of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, Va., which deed is of record in the land records of said county, the subscribers, as trustees hereby created, will sell at public auction or cash, on THURSDAY, the 25th day of April, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., at the works of said company at Waterloo station, on the Alexandria and Wash ington Railroad, in said county, a cortain tract of land in said county, containing thirty-two (32) acres, three (3) rods and eighteen and fortythree one-hundredth (18. 43-100) perches, known as part of "Waterloo" farm, and described according to a survey and map attached to said deed, made by William Forsyth, December 1, 1876, as follows, viz:-

Beginging at the intersection of the east line of the Washington and Alexandria Turnpike road with the land of Lieutenant Hunter, and running thence cast nine hundred and four (904) feet, thence north six and a quarter (61) degrees, east sixteen hundred and forty-nine and twenty nine one-hundredth (1,649.29 100) feet, thence south seventy-six and one half (761) degrees, west one hundred and four and thirty-nine one hundredth (104, 39-100) feet thence south eight-four and three-fourth (842) degrees, west eight hundred and sixteen and forty-two one hundredth (S16,42-100) feet thence south six and one-quarter (61) degress, west fifteen hundred and firty-one (1,551) feet to the place of beginning, subject to and in accordance with a reserved right of way throught the above described property sixty-six foot in width, on such line as the parties conveying said land to said company may elect, the line to be located in such a manner as not in any degree to interferre with the operations of the said company to be carried on upon said property, together with all the buildings and improvements erected on said land, and the tools, machinery and outfit used by said company in

to John Caswell, April 16, 1861, numbered 32,-046, and 32 047, to Oran W. Seeley, May 12, 1863, numbered 38 607, to Lauren C. Woodruff and Corydon Karr, assignees, and John Steel, May 9, 1865, numbered 47,684, and to Lauren C. Woodruff, assignee of Benjamin D. Berry, February 9, 1869, numbered 85,633, and by the said Woodruff regularly assigned to the said com-pany. C. A. JAMES. S. FERGUSON BEACH, Trustees

10 BAGS choice MARACAIBO and RIO COFFERS-just received, grade very high and prices very low; special inducements. Now is the time to buy.

GEO. McBURNEY & SON, 166 and 170 King street.

WINDOW GLASS FOR HOT BED SASH, 6x8 and 8x10, in store in large stock, and for sale at lowest market rates.

THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1878.

AUCTION SALES. FOR SALE-On TUESDAY, April 30, 1878, at 3 p. m. at Drovers' Hotel West End, the FARM OF THOS. E. COWLING. End, the FARM OF THOS. E. COWLING, adjoining the lands of George Auld and Doctor W. B Gregory, containing TWENTY-KIGHT ACRES, more or less, and improved by a TWO STORY FRAMED HOUSE and out buildings, and a young orchard, will be sold by public auction, for cash, to satisfy claims in my hands in favor of R. D. Catts, Cowling & Bro., George Auld and others.

JOHN H. SARTIN,

Constable Fairfax County.

By order of the County Court of Fairfax.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.

BY AUTHORITY OF A DECREE OF the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, rendered on the 3d day of December, 1877, in a suit in chancery depending in said Court, wherein J. S. Wimsatt and wife are complainants, and John C Baggett and others are defendants, the subscribers, commissioners of sale, appointed by said decree, will, on SAT-URDAY, the 27th day of April, 1878, at twelve o'clock m., in front of the Fairfax st. entrance to the Corporation Court room, in said city, sell to the highest bidder, by public auction, the

following described property, viz:

1st. A LOT OF GROUND, improved by a
BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, situated on the west side of Fairfax street. 25 feet 7½ inches south of Wolfr street, in said city, and now occupied by John C. Baggett, esq. This lot has a frontage on Fairfax street of about 25 feet 7½ inches and extends hear 10 feet many and extends hear 10 f inches, and extends back 80 feet more or less.

21. AN UNDIVIDED HALF OF A LOT OF GROUND and FRAME DWELLING on the south side of Wolfe street and east side of a

9 feet alley, fronting 14 feet, more or less, on said street, and running back southwardly 51 ft. 5 inches
3d. A TRACT OF FORTY-SEVEN ACRES
OF EXCELLENT LAND, with the necessary
farm buildings, on Four Mile Run, in the county of Alexandria, being the subdivision, No. 1,
of the estate of Elizabeth Baggett, deceased, ac-

cording to a plat and certificate of survey there-of made by T. N. Carter, Surveyor, on the 10th day of November, 1868, and filed in the chancery cause of Boggett vs. Baggett and others, lately depending in the Circuit Court of said county. Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equal instalments at 6, 12 and 18 months from the day of sale; the deferred payments to bear it terest from the day of sale, and to be secured by the bends of the purchase. cured by the bonds of the purchaser or purchas-

of the purchaser.

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,

C. W. WATTLES,

Commissioners of Sale.

joining the lots numbered 1st and 2d in the above advertisement, and binding on Fairfax street 25 feet 71 inches, and on Wolfe st. about

21. A lot of ground on the east side of Royal street, 151 feet south of King street, fronting on Royal street 25 feet, and extending eastwardly 113 5-12 feet to an alley, improved by a frame dwelling on Royal street, and two small brick houses on the alley; subject to a ground rent of \$50 per annum.

Terms of Sale: Same as above mentioned.

GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,

mh 28-wiw Attorney and Agent.

By Harrison & O'Neal, Auctioneers. RUSTEE'S SALE .- By virtue of a deed of L trust, dated on the 26th day of March, 1875, executed by Maria McDermott, and of record in the land records of Alexandria county, Va, liber B., No. 4, folio 496, I, the undersigned, as trustee in the said deed, will, in compliance with the request of the assignee and holder of the note secured by the said deed of trust, proceed to sell by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of April, 1878, at 12 m., in front of the market building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the property conveyed by the said deed of trust, viz: A LOT OF GROUND with a FRAME TENEMENT thereon, in the said county of Alexandria, containing 1 acre, 1 rood and 5 poles, situated on the west side of the Washington Turnpike, about a half a mile north of the canal basin, and adjoining the property of Michael Hart. Terms of sale: Cashin hand on the day of sale. M. B. HARLOW, the day of sale. mh 28-30t3

## DRY GOODS.

OPENING OF SPRING NOVELTIES.

NEW DRESS GOODS. NEW CASSIMERES,

NEW FRENCH LAWNS,

NEW LINEN LAWNS,

NEW HOSIERY,

NEW GLOVES, NEW EMBROIDERIES,

NEW TRIMMINGS,

NEW NECKWEAR, NEW GOODS in all Departments

At unusually attractive prices.

PRINTS and DOMESTICS very cheap.

PRETZFELDER & CO.,

144 King street.

OPENING SPRING TRADE.

Monday, March 4, 1878. We are receiving from New Yerk and Phila-delphia a great many Staple and Fancy Dry-Goods, purchased within the last few days at very lew figures, and call attention of purchasers to these goods, especially suited to the early spring sales &c. Country merchants will be sold at Baltimore

obbing prices. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, H. B. Hoomes. Alexandria, Va

AGRICULTURAL AND INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION Alexandria, Feb. 4, 1878. The subscribers to the Alexandria Agricultual and Industrial Asseciation are requested to come forward at once and pay to the secretary one dollar p r share on each share of stock taken, being the first monthly instalment. Any others who feel an interest in the enterprise and

Also said company's patent rights for the manufacture of brick in the District of Columbia and the county of Alexandria, Va., which patents and improvements were severally issued to John Caswell April 18, 1005

# AMERICAN OIL CABINET

FOR LUBRICATING. BURNING OILS, NAPTHA, SPIRITS TURPENTINE, &c. The very best thing for the purpose yet invented; invaluable to retailers. Call and examine specimen Cabinet. F. A. REED,

Agent American Oil Cabinet Co., Janney's wharf.

A. GLACHET, CONFECTIONER 125 KING STREET.

Candies, French and plain, and Cakes of all kinds, of my own manufacture, at the most rea on hand or made to order.

CANDIDATES.

[All announcements to be paid for in advance.] TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA .- At the request o some of my friends and fellow citizens, I hereby an nounce myse's a candidate for re-election to the position of Commonwealth's Attorney of the city of Alexandria. This announcement is made subject to the action of a nominating convention or primary election of the conservative party If I am re-clected to the office I shall devote my time, energy and ability to the discharge of the legitimate duties pertaining to it.
ap 2 JOHN M. JOHNSON

ANNOUNCE myself a candidate for the cffi to of City Sergeant, subject to the decision of the primary election, and respectfully request the support of my fellow citizens.

mh 30-te

U. M. MONROE.

TO THE PEOPLE OF ALEXANDRIA CITY. -I take this method of unnouncing myself a candidate for re election to the effice of City Sergeant. Two years ago you appointed me to fill this place in a manner so flattering to myself that I feel new, as I did then, that my best efforts could never discharge the obliga-tions under which you have placed me. For that manifestation of your confidence and regard. I have labored to fulfill the duties of the office so that no one should regret the selection you then made, and, I hope I have done so acceptably to all. If I have met your approbation in the past and should receive your endorsement again I can only pledge a continuance of the same official conduct in the future. I believe I have discharged my duties to the satisfaction of the court, the attornies, the juries and all others having business relations with the courters with the business relations with the courts as well as to the public, and in asking your renewed sup-port I am confident that no dereliction can be charged against me. I have always endeavored to act fairly, to make no distinction, to do no injustice to any one, and to be an impartial public officer. I, therefore, ask your undivided support in the approaching election, and, if it should be your pleasure to elect me, it will be mine always to faithfully subserve your truest in.

Very truly your obedient servant.
te R. T. LUCAS.

CLERK OF THE MARKET-I respectfully announce myself a candidate for the position of Clerk of the Market, subject to the conservative primary election.
mh 28-te\*

H. B. WHITTINGTON.

TO THE CONSERVATIVE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA.—Having been solicited by a number of my friends to present my name as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Police, I take this method of announcing my. self as a candidate for that office. I beg leave to refer to my past record as a conservative and

JAMES P. COLEMAN. IN RESPONSE TO A PARAGRAPH IN L the Gazette asking the use of my name as a candidate for election as Commonwealth's Attorney, I would say that the office in question would be a most acceptable one to me. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for that posttion, subject to the decision of the primary election, and earnestly ask my friends for their support. Respectfully, &c., C. F. MARKELL.

T RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE MYself a candidate for the office of Commonwealth's Attorney. This announcement is made subject to the action of the primary election.
mh 13
SAM'L. G. BRENT.

# BUTCHERS.

## OSCAR F. BAGGETT, DEALER IN

FIRST CLASS BEEF, VEAL, LAMB, MUTTON, &c, &c.

CORNED BEEF A SPECIALTY. Sta'ls-8 and 9 Centre Market, Royal st. wing. Marketing delivered free of charge to all parts

JOSEPH E. CHAUNCEY,

DEALER IN CHOICE BEEF, VEAL, MUTTON, LAMB, CORNED AND SMOKED BEEF

AND TONGUE.
SPRING LAMB, the first of the season. Marketing delivered free to all parts of the city. No. 3 Market Building, Alexandria, Va.

## FISH, OYSTERS, &c.

FISH We have this day formed a copartnership, under the firm name of GEO. E. PRICE & CO.,

Dealers in FRESH AND SALTED FISH Fish received daily from the fishing shores on the Potomac, and supplied to consumers in quantities to suit, either fresh or salted by ex-

perienced packers.

Stalls Nos. 2 and 3, City Market, and Fish House No. 1, Corporation Fish Wharf.

Country orders solicited and satisfaction guar. G. E. PRICE. J. F. COOK.

G A. NOWLAND. WM JAVINS. mh 13-tf WILLIAM H. SMITH,

FRESH AND SALTED FISH. FISH WHARF AND STALLS CITY MAR-KET,

would inform dealers and others that he is prepared to furnish them with all kind of

POTOMAC FISH. at the lowest possible prices. I would call the attention of buyers to the fact that my brand stands No. 1 in market at all times and I intend to sustain my reputation in that respect. My stalls, Nos. 4 and 5, Fish Market, will be

supplied with fresh fish every morning. They will be superintended by Mr. James G. Grimes, sr., and families can depend on getting the best, whether they come in person or send orders. Persons at a distance wanting Fresh Fish can depend on getting them packed in good order.
All orders addressed to WM. H. SMITH, Alexandria, Va , will receive prompt attention.

SUN UMBRELLASI SUN UMBRELLASI Just received a full line of the above-very cheap. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. Also a full line of Torchon Laces

and Insertings, at mh 25 C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King at.

WENGER'S and other grades of choice FLOUR for sale at J. C & E. MILBURN'S. dec 21 A NOTHER STOCK of CHEAP COFFEES application. feb 19

RAMSAY'S. mh 13 75 BOXES OF ASSORTED SOAP IN store and for sale at low prices by mh 14 R. W. AVERY, 226 King st. mh 14 15 BAGS RIO COFFEE received this day, March 14, and for sale cheap by R. W. AVERY, 226 King st.

DEPPER SAUCE and TOMATOE CAT-GEO. MCBURNEY & SON CHOICE TABLE BUTTER (Glades ) rec'd

J. C. & E. MILBURN. nov 29

COMMISSION MERCHANTS. ALLEN C. HARMON,

GROCERS, FEED AND COMMISSION MERCHANT, CORNER PRINCE AND ROYAL STS., feb 1 ALEXANDRIA, VA

Alexandria, Sept. 29, 1877.
WOULD INFORM MY FRIENDS AND the public generally that I have this day made a business connection with the well known firm of HARLOW BROS, Grocers, Liquor, Feed and General Commission Merchants, N. W. corner Cameron and Royal streets, and would solicit a shore of their networks. solicit a share of their patronage.

F. G. SWAINE,

WITH HARLOW BROS., LIQUOR, FEED, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
N. W. COR. CAMERON AND ROYAL STS.
Liberal advances made on all consignments

THOMAS PERRY, Agont,

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,

No. 17 King street,

ALEXANDRIA, VA. Agent for the sale of

ISAAC WENGER'S

CELEBRATED FAMILY FLOUR. jan 18-tt

NO. 2 PRINCE STREET GENERAL COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERGI Dealer in all kinds of FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER Agent of the
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE IN
SURANCE COMPANY.

feb 5-tf

C. & E. MILBURN,

DHILIP B. HOOK,

Wholesale and Retail
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCH TS.
No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market Space, Alexandria, Virginia.

Orders and consignments solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention.

B. LAWSON & CO., [Successors to R. M. Lawson,] GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS No. 67 Cameron street. ALEXANDRIA, VA.

WASHINGTON & BROTHER COMMISSION MERCHANTS NO. 20 UNION STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all ginds, of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrustal to them. Prompt returns made.

W. A. SMOOT,

COAL, SALT AND PLA TER (Foot of Princess st.,)
Alexandria, Virginia.

FANCY GOODS. SPRING OPENING! SPRING OPENING! Just received this day per express a beautiful and well selected stock of the following goods, which will be sold very cheap: Ribbons, Ladies' Ties, Fancy Belts,

Hosiery, Gents' Ties, Buttons,

Rufflings, Fans, Corsets, Edgings, Veilings, Rushes, Coiffure Pins, Kid Gloves, Head Ornaments A beautiful line of Children's Striped and Plain Colored Hose, from 121 to 75c per pair An elegant three button Kid Glove, in light and dark shades for 75c per pair. All the latest styles of Veilings. Lace Handkerchiefs only 60c; Silk Fringes; the best 50c Corset in town,

equal to what is usually sold for 75c, at C. C. BERRY'S, 72 King st. J. FERGUSON & BRO. We have opened our stock of GOODS FOR THE FALL SEASON, consisting in part of-Ladies', Gents' and Children's Merino Underwear and Hosiery.

Dress Trimmings, in Silk and Worsted Fringes, Galloons, Buttons, &c. Toilet Articles-Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes. Neck Puff, Side and High Combs, Soaps and Perfumery.
Ladies' Collars, Cuffs, Ruchings, Rufflings,
Ties, Lace Scarfs, Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs and Kid Gloves.

Worsteds, Germantown Wool, Shetland Wool and Floss, Saxony and German Knitting Yarns, in all colors, and Embroidery Canvases. HOOP SKIRTS & BUSTLES.

All styles on hand and made to order at short We have also a large stock of Hair Braids, Curls, Puffs, &c., to which we invite your attention. FERGUSON & BRO., tention.

# C.M. ADAMS, Ladies' & Gents' Furn'g. Goods.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT. Kid Gloves, Hosiery, Underwear, Corsets, Scarfs, Collars and Cuffs, Handkorchiefs, &c. GENTS' DEPARTMENT.

Kid Gloves, Collars and Cuffs, Hosiery, Shirts, Handkerchiefs, Underwear, Scarfs, Ties and NOTION DEPARTMENT.

Cotton, Pins, Neodles, Thread, Buttons, Edgings, Zephyr Worsted, Shetland Wool, Germantown Wool, Saxony Yarns, &c.
nov 8 C. M. ADAMS, No. 92 King st.

MEADE & BAKER'S CARBOLIC MOUTH WASH. A safe and efficient application for the disinfection of decayed teeth and for healing diseased gums. Pleasant to the taste. Price fifty cents.

Just received and for sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfax streets. DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINES.

We have just received another supply of the above beautiful, easy running, quiet and desirable Sewing Machines; also Grover & Baker's huttle and Chain-Stitch Sewing Machines, all of which we propose selling at very low prices.
mh 14 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

GARDEN SEEDS! GARDEN SEEDS! We have received our first supply of LAND-RETH'S GARDEN SEEDS for the spring of 1878, and will be pleased to furnish our friends and the public. Catalogues can be had upon E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO

THE FARMER'S BAROMETER. STORM GLASS AND THERMOMETER COMBINED. The above useful article just received and for

sale at 83 King, corner of Royal st., by mh 16 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. "IN TIME OF PRACE PREPARE FOR WAR."

L RADBEATER'S BED BUG POISON,

Costar's ditto, Lyon's Magnetic Powder
and Powder Guns; also Stonebraker's and other
hinds of Poison for billing Pote Miss Possesses kinds of Poison for killing Rats, Mice, Roaches,

&c., for sale by mh 19 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. sonable prices. Fresh Fruits kept constantly sonable prices. Fresh Fruits kept constantly on hand. Ice Cream and Water Ices constantly mh 1 50 CENT CORSET, best in the market, at mh 14 J. C. & E. MILBURN'S. | Great dome of the retunda is equalled by few, | Coffee on hand.

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 4.

Charlottesville and the University. A writer in The Interior (Chicago) gives some interesting facts about Charlottesville and he University of Virginia:

In our winter rambles in the Old Dominion we have found few spots that have more deeply interested us than this venerable town of Charlottesville. It is among the oldest towns in the State, having been named after Queen Charlotte, the wife of King George III, in the old colonial times, but incorporated as the county seat of Albemarle county in November, 1761; and the old court house completed the following year, though quaint and olden, still stands on the north side of the public square in the centre of the town, where it has served its purpose already for over a century, and is likely to serve it still for years, if not

for a century to come. But what perhaps, more than aught else, renders Charlottesville so full of interest to every American, is that here, almost within sight of each other, were the homes of three successive Presidents of the United States-Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, and James Monroe; and if Virginia bears the name of the "Mother of Presidents," surely Charlottesville 13 worthy of being styled the "Home of Presidents." On Monroe Hill, which now forms a part of the grounds of the University of Virginia, a mile west of the town, still stands the old Monroe mansion, now occupied by Prof. Thomas R. Price, of the University, where President Monroe once resided.

Madison's home was about 25 miles distant from Charlottesville just beyond the East Mountain to the northeast of the town, in Montpelier in Orange county, near the border of Albemarle, amid its own picturesque scencry. But with no name is Charlottesville more intimately connected than that of Thomas Jefferson, whose almost world renowned homestead, which he named Monticello (pronounced Monte-chello, from the Italian, little mountain), is situated about three miles to the east of the village on the crest of the eastern horn of Crescent Mountain, and commands one of the finest views in the State. To strangers it forms a leading attraction, and but for the sadly dilapidated state in which it now stands, with absolute ruins in prospect, might so con-One feels as if treading on hallowed ground

at almost every step in these parts. In Virginia, sleep the remains of perhaps more of the distinguished men whose names are household words the continent over, than in any other State. Since visiting this time honored locality, the vistas of by-gone times have been brought more in the actual present than we have had there since the days when we sat at the feet of old Revolutionary soldiers and heard their thrilling tales of the "war that tried men's souls." At least two persons are still residing here who have seen three presidents together in these streets, the venerable librarian of the University, William Wertenbacker, who is the soul surviving appointee of Jefferson in the University service, and the only librarian the institution has ever had, and Col. James F. Fry, of Charlottesville, to whom we had the honor of a personal introduction a few days since. Many are the anecdotes and incidents related by the elderly residents here of former scenes, and none is more thoroughly posted in the traditionary lore of the region than James Alexander, Esq., who started and for many years published the Charlottesville Jeffersonian here, and who has been a resident of the place nearly ever since the death of Jefferson, whose mem-

ory he cherishes. The University was the foster child of Thomas Jefferson, and formed his ideal of what a University should be, and bears his impress in all its leading features. It is perhaps as complete in its design as any similar institution, embracing all the departments usually found in any University, with one exception: it has no theological department. This was intentional; it was in fact Jofferson's express restriction. He had, as is well known, his own ideas of theology as a part of a liberal education; and though he was not, as some have classed him, an infidel, for he was a member in regular standing in the Episcopal Church, and even a vestryman, as the records of the Church in Charlottes ville will attest yet he insisted that religion, or rather sectarianism and education were to be kept distinct. Hence his well known advocacy of free schools, free speech, free press, and a free conscience. It was he who uttered the sentiment long since passed into an accredited proverb, "Error of opinion may be tolerated, where reason is left free to combat it." He did not strive like Stephen Girard, to exclude the clergy. Nay, he ever maintained a high respect for them and whenever any clergyman visited him at his bomestcad it was his invariable custom to request him to "a sy grace"

But with his peculiar religious sen timents, we have little now to do, barely in passing remarking, that such was his deeply sented attachment to freedom of conscience that he threw open the privileges of the university to ministers and clergy of every denomination free, and even went so far as to sanction the system of a rotative chapleincy for the benefit of students attending the various class es, having its incumbent chosen for two years term from the four evangelical denomination s successively, Episcopal, Presbyterian, Bapti sc and Methodist, an arrangement which is stil I kept up, the present chaplain being a Baptist ..

The University grounds, situated as a ready intimated, a mile to the west of the town, comprise in all about 500 acres, of which 100 or more are in a high state of cultivation under the superintendency of Prof. Page, of the agricultural department. The camp us, or grounds of the university proper, contain about 100 acres enclosed by a stone wall in five separate parts, all of which are covered | with grass and shade trees around the Uni versity buildings. The buildings themselves st and on a commanding eminer.ce, overlookin g the country for many miles around, and occ upying the centre of a crescer, t-shaped range of hills called Crescent Mour,tain. The view fr om the

if exceeded by any on the continent. It has a range of seventy or eighty miles, and the panorama is simply superb. There on the east and almost at the observer's feet lies Charlottesville, with its scattering suburb reaching even to the outer wall of the University grounds. Here the cresent with its horns pointing to the north and east; and yonder, far away stretches the seemingly limitless Blue Ridge all along the western horizon like banks of blue clouds lying in undulating outline along the sky. From the dome, too, the best views of the University grounds and buildings are gained. The low, one story dormitories for the students stretch like two great arms southward from the rotunda, as it faces a wide, open lawn to the south. A peculiarity of the architecture renders the whole a very picturesque sight as beheld from the dome. All along these long rows of dormitories, both front and rear, run colonades with whitewashed Grecian pillars equally spaced the whole length, giving them a truly classic air in appearance. Just back of and joining on to the rotunds, runs the main building northward, presenting to the beholder at any point for many miles distant a most imposing aspect. The whole is built of brick. Only within the past year a very spacious edifice has been erected just to the east of the main building by the munificence of Lewis Brooks, of Rochester, N. Y., as a museum, which has only within the present year been thrown open to the public .- O. C. in Southern Churchman.

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